

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Minister need not answer the question.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Short Notice Question No. 11. Sri G. Puttaswamy is not here. He has sent a note stating that this question may be taken up day after tomorrow. It is for me to judge as to when it can be taken up. I cannot take it on any day he likes. Yesterday he was present and I informed the House that it would be taken up today and he writes today a letter stating that it may be taken up the day after tomorrow. That cannot be done.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY.

(But not taken up.)

Admissions to Medical School and College and Engineering College.

Q.—284. Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY (Chitaldrug).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of applications received from students for admission into—

- (i) Medical College, Mysore,
- (ii) Medical School, Bangalore,
- (iii) Engineering College, Bangalore;

(b) the names of those students along with marks obtained in the Intermediate and S.S.L.C. classes as the case may be and the community they belong to;

(c) the names of selected candidates for these three institutions;

(d) the procedure followed in their selection;

(e) whether students with lesser marks were selected in preference to those with higher marks; in how many cases it was done so; why it was done so?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(a)	Medical College	Medical School	College of Engineering
	890	1,297	1,251

(b) and (c) Placed on the table.

(Placed in the Legislature Library. Vide No. 30/L.A. of 1954.)

(d) The students were selected in accordance with the Government Order No. E. 6961, dated 3rd August 1953, E. 12908, dated 3rd December 1953, E. 2839-43/Uni. 97-51-4, dated 11th June 1952 as modified in Government Order Nos. E.3845-58/ Uni. 97-51-10, dated 27th June 1952 and 17th July 1952, respectively.

(e) Yes. Medical College: About 5. Medical School: 70. College of Engineering: 110. Marks obtained are not the only criterion. Merit, extra curricular activities, special aptitude, if any, performance in the previous examinations, performance at the interview, social service activities of the candidates, personality, representative nature of the final selection to be made, representation to candidates coming from Malnad area, etc., are some of the facts that govern selection of candidates.

Kapur Investments, Ltd.

Q.—291. Sri Mulka GOVINDA REDDY (Chitaldrug).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) when Kapur Investments, Ltd., was registered; with what capital;

(b) the nature of business undertaken by this company?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(a) 19th October 1949.

Authorised capital Rs. 5 lakhs. Subscribed capital Rs. 2,61,000. Paid up capital Rs. 2,61,000.

(b) General trading in piece-goods, yarn, etc.

Supply of Clothes to Ward-boys, Ayas and Thoties in Hospitals.

Q.—858. Sri D. DEVARAJA URS (Hunsur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) when the clothes were supplied last to the ward-boys, ayas, and thoties of the various Government Hospitals in the State;

(b) once in how many years are these clothes supplied to them;

(c) what are the scales of pay of these ward-boys, ayas and thoties;

(d) whether it is a fact that the ward-boys were given by Government a house rent allowance of Rs. 3 each;

(e) whether this house rent allowance is stopped since two years?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(a) During 1953-54. (In March 1954).

(b) Every year.

(c) (i) Ward Boys:—Rs. 20-1-25 in Victoria Hospital, K. R. Hospital, Minto Hospital, K.G.F. Hospital, P.K. Sanatorium.

Rs. 18- $\frac{1}{2}$ -22 in Mental Hospital.

Rs. 16- $\frac{1}{2}$ -20 in District and other hospitals.

(ii) Ward Ayas:—Rs. 20-1-25 in all hospitals in the State.

(iii) Thoties:—Rs. 18- $\frac{1}{2}$ -22 in Cities and K.G.F.

Rs. 16- $\frac{1}{2}$ -20 in District and Malnad Improvement Dispensaries.

Rs. 14- $\frac{1}{2}$ -18 in Taluks.

(d) Yes.

(e) No. Sanction is being accorded every two years for the continuance of the grant.

Primary School Buildings, Honnali Taluk.

Q.—867. Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Honnali).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the names of villages that have deposited money for the building of Primary School buildings in Honnali Taluk;

(b) the amount of money deposited by them;

(c) what action has been taken to construct the school buildings in these villages?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

- (a) 1. Tharaganahalli.
2. Hosalli.
3. Hathur.

4. Narasagondanahalli.

5. Bagavadi.

(b) 1. A sum of Rs. 1,000 has been deposited for the construction of a Primary School building at Tharagonhalli.

2. A sum of Rs. 1,005 has been deposited for the construction of a Primary School building at Hosalli.

3. A sum of Rs. 1,010-14-0 has been deposited for the construction of a Primary School building at Hathur.

4. A sum of Rs. 1,000 has been deposited towards the construction of a Primary School building at Narasagondanahalli.

5. A sum of Rs. 500 has been deposited towards the construction of a Primary School building at Bagavadi.

(c) 1. Plan and estimate in respect of construction of a building of 6 rooms at each of the places at Tharaganahalli, Hosalli and Hathur are called for from the Public Works Department. Needful action will be taken in the matter as early as possible on receipt of the plans and estimates.

2. The plan and estimate for the construction of a building of 3 rooms at Narasagondanahalli have been called for from the Public Works Department.

3. Bagavadi has been included in the five-year programme of building works. Needful action will be taken in the matter as early as possible.

MYSORE SALES TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1954,

Presentation of Select Committee Report.

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—Sir, I present the report of the Select Committee on the Mysore Sales Tax (Amendment) Bill, 1954. Copies of the report with the Bill as amended will be made available to the Members during the course of the day.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Yesterday it was announced that notice of amendments will be received up to 11 A.M. today. Now, I have to extend the time. I extend it till 11 A.M. tomorrow. Before that time amendments to this Bill may be sent to the office.